

Common Carriers: House Bill No. 347.

Criminal Jurisprudence: House Bills Nos. 164 and 372.

Education: House Bills Nos. 219 and 472.

Highways and Motor Traffic: House Bills Nos. 128 and 409.

Judiciary: House Bill No. 339.

Military Affairs: House Bill No. 321.

Revenue and Taxation: House Bills Nos. 6 and 52.

State Affairs: House Bill No. 53.

TWENTIETH DAY

(Thursday, February 11, 1937)

The House met at 10:00 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Calvert.

The roll of the House was called, and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker	Felty
Adkins	Fielden
Alexander	Fox
Alsup	Fuchs
Amos	Gibson
Baker	Hamilton
Bates	Hankamer
Beckworth	Hanna
Bell	Harbin
Blankenship	Hardin
Boethel	Harper
Bond	Harris of Archer
Boyer	Harris of Dallas
Bradbury	Harris of Dickens
Bradford	Hartzog
Bridgers	Heflin
Burton	Herzik
Cagle	Holland
Callan	Hoskins
Carssow	Howard
Cathey	Huddleston
Cauthorn	Hull
Celaya	Hyder
Cleveland	Jackson
Colquitt	James
Davis of Jasper	Johnson of Ellis
Davison of Fisher	Johnson
Davison	of Tarrant
of Eastland	Jones of Angelina
Dean	Jones of Atascosa
Deglandon	Jones of Falls
Derden	Jones of Wise
Dickison	Keefe
Dollins	Keith
England	Kelt
Farmer	Kenyon

Kern	Reader
King	Reed of Bowie
Knetsch	Reed of Dallas
Langdon	Rhodes
Lankford	Riddle
Lanning	Roark
Leath	Ross
Leyendecker	Russell
Little	Rutta
Loggins	Schuenemann
London	Settle
Lucas	Sewell
Mann	Sharpe
Mauritz	Shell
Mays	Simpson
McConnell	Skaggs
McCracken	Smith of Hopkins
McDonald	Smith
McKee	of Matagorda
McKinney	Smith of Tarrant
Metcalfe	Stevenson
Moffett	Stocks
Monkhouse	Talbert
Morris	Tarwater
Morse	Tennant
Newton	Tennyson
Nicholson	Thornberry
Oliver	Thornton
Palmer	Vale
Patterson of Mills	Waggoner
Patterson	Walker
of Travis	Weldon
Petsch	Westbrook
Pope	Winfree
Powell	Wood
Prescott	Worley
Ragsdale	

Absent—Excused

Broadfoot	Leonard
Brown	McFarland
Davis of Haskell	Quinn
Graves	Stinson
Harrell	

A quorum was announced present.

Rev. George W. Coltrin, Chaplain, offered prayer.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of important business:

Mr. Leonard for today, on motion of Mr. Morse.

Mr. Brown for today, on motion of Mr. McKee.

Mr. Broadfoot for today, on account of important committee work in regard to Texas-Oklahoma boundary, on motion of Mr. Carssow.

Mr. Graves for today, on motion of Mr. Petsch.

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of illness:

Mr. Quinn for today, on motion of Mr. Roark.

Mr. McFarland for today, on motion of Mr. Davis of Jasper.

Mr. Harrell for today, on motion of Mr. Sharpe.

Mr. Stinson for today, on motion of Mr. Hankamer.

Mr. Davis of Haskell for today, on motion of Mr. Stocks.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following House bills, introduced today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Bradford:

H. B. No. 517, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 7 of the Acts of the First Called Session of the Forty-third Legislature which original Act is entitled: 'An Act prescribing additional powers and duties of the Commissioners' Court in counties having a population of not less than seven thousand eight hundred (7,800) and not more than eight thousand (8,000) according to the latest Federal Census; making provision for holding an election in each such county to determine whether a maintenance tax shall be levied against all property in such county for the support of public schools therein; prescribing the duties of the County Judge and Commissioners' Court in reference to said election; prescribing the duties and powers of the several boards of district trustees in determining the amount of money necessary to maintain the schools of each school district; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Loggins:

H. B. No. 518, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 2 of Title 116 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, by adding to said Chapter a new Article to be known as 'Article 6711a', providing that upon application of ten (10) or more resident citizens of the County of Trinity, or one person living within an enclosure of two thousand (2,000) acres or more in said County, the Commis-

sioners Court of said County shall open a road through said enclosure of land, or between different persons or owners of land, or along any section line, or along any survey line, or along any survey subdivision line, where said land is adjacent or contiguous to public rivers, lakes or bays in the County of Trinity; providing for notice and hearing on said application; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Mr. Little and Mr. McFarland:

H. B. No. 519, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 2031, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended, Acts, 1935, Forty-fourth Legislature, Second Called Session, page 1688, Chapter 431, Paragraph 1, and providing means and method of securing service of process on local, or traveling agents of foreign corporations, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Morse:

H. B. No. 520, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Acts of the Forty-fourth Legislature, 1935, page 676, Chapter 287, which is now Article 4576, Revised Statutes of Texas, 1925, to increase the powers and duties of the State Board of Embalming; to increase the membership of said Board to six members; and provide for a rotating Board; and fixing their terms of office at six years; prescribing the qualifications of the members of said Board, and their terms of office; fixing the powers and duties of said Board; defining 'Embalming' and 'funeral directing' and 'funeral director'; providing for the method and manner of making application, examination, licensing of persons desiring to become embalmers or funeral directors in Texas; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

By Mr. Wood:

H. B. No. 521, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend House Bill No. 8, Chapter 495, page 2040, Acts of the Third Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, by striking out all of Section 9, Article IV, of said Act, and by rewriting Section 9, Article IV, so as to provide for a tax of ten cents

(10c) on each One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars or fraction thereof over the first Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars on all notes and obligations given in this State; providing for the manner of payment; providing for Old Age Assistance Stamps, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Cauthorn:

H. B. No. 522, A bill to be entitled "An Act releasing compound interest which has accrued on unpaid and delinquent interest on sales of public school lands as provided in Section 7 of Chapter 40, Acts, Second Called Session, Forty-second Legislature, provided that said delinquent interest due to date is paid on or before one year after the effective date of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Buildings.

By Mr. McCracken:

H. B. No. 523, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Sections 4 and 7 of Senate Bill No. 165, Chapter 165, passed by the Forty-second Legislature, at its Regular Session; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; providing that if any part of this bill be held invalid, same shall not affect the remainder hereof, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. Cathey and Mr. Johnson of Ellis:

H. B. No. 524, A bill to be entitled "An Act limiting the number of persons which any State Official, either elected or appointed, may employ in the office under his jurisdiction from any one county; fixing the penalty, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

By Mr. Beckworth:

H. B. No. 525, A bill to be entitled "An Act declaring the purpose of the Legislature in enacting this bill; creating the Texas Home for Colored Orphans and providing for the maintenance of such home at or near Gilmer, Texas, in the County of Upshur, upon a site or tract of land heretofore donated by the Dickson Colored Orphans, Inc., to and accepted by the

State of Texas; repealing Sections 2 and 7 of Chapter 21, Acts of the Forty-first Legislature, Third Called Session, and all other laws and parts of laws in so far as they conflict with the provisions of this Act or its purpose to continue the maintenance of a negro orphan's home upon that tract of land donated to the State of Texas located in Gilmer, Upshur County, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on State Eleemosynary and Reformatory Institutions.

By Mr. Metcalfe and Mr. Tarwater:

H. B. No. 526, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 1 of House Bill No. 247, Chapter 44, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-third Legislature as amended by Chapter 240, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature; providing that offenses committed or prosecutions begun under pre-existing laws may be conducted under the law as it existed at the time the offense was committed; providing that if any part of this Act shall be held invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

By Mr. Metcalfe and Mr. Tarwater:

H. B. No. 527, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 1104 of the Penal Code as amended by the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Chapter 154, General and Special Laws of 1935, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Mr. Bradford:

H. B. No. 528, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing private corporations heretofore incorporated for the purpose of operating street or inter-urban railways to amend their charters so as to include as an additional purpose of the corporation the acquiring, owning, and operating of motor vehicles and motor busses for transportation of passengers for hire upon the public streets and public ways of cities and towns and upon the public ways of the adjacent unincorporated territory within five miles from the limits of such cities and towns, under such

reasonable regulations and requirements as to rates and service and as to franchises or permits as may be legally imposed from time to time by such cities and towns within the limits thereof and by the Commissioners' Courts of counties as to operations outside of the limits of such cities and towns, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

By Mr. Thornberry:

H. B. No. 529, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that the governing boards of all institutions of collegiate rank supported in whole or in part by funds of the State of Texas shall exempt all citizens of Texas who are the children of men and women who died in active service during the World War or from disability incurred in the line of duty during said war from the payment of all dues, fees and charges whatsoever for tuition; providing that such citizens shall submit satisfactory evidence of his status, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Education.

MOTION TO PRINT CERTAIN RULING IN JOURNAL

Mr. Reader moved that certain ruling of the Supreme Court of California, in regard to the Fair-trade Act, be printed in the Journal.

On motion of Mr. Hardin, the motion to print the ruling was tabled.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, February 11, 1937.
Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has adopted

S. C. R. No. 30, Providing for certain adjournment period for the two Houses.

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,

Secretary of the Senate.

BILL RECOMMITTED

Mr. Holland moved that House Bill No. 57 be recommitted to the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures.

Mr. Reader moved, as a substitute motion, that House Bill No. 57 be re-

committed to the Committee on Public Health.

On motion of Mr. Holland, the substitute motion by Mr. Reader was tabled.

Question recurring on the motion to recommit House Bill No. 57 to the Committee on Commerce and Manufactures, it prevailed.

RELATIVE TO USE OF CERTAIN MATERIALS IN CONSTRUCTION OF HIGHWAYS

Mr. Huddleston offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 31, Relative to use of certain materials in construction of highways.

Whereas, The United States Department of Agriculture has encouraged the use of cotton mats to help build roads, and certain states, including New York, have used this plan to some extent in building roads; and

Whereas, Such a plan in our State would be of great benefit to the cotton farmers of our State, in that it would call for the use of more cotton, and thereby would stimulate the price of cotton; and

Whereas, Such a plan would be endorsed by the entire citizenship of our State; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, the Senate concurring, That the Highway Department of Texas be requested to cooperate with the Federal Department of Agriculture in this movement; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the State Highway Department and to the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

HUDDLESTON,
MOFFETT.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

TO GRANT PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

Mr. Carssow offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 32, To grant Mrs. Anna Smith, La Nelle Smith and James A. Gallagher of Bexar County, permission to sue the State of Texas, and/or the State Highway Commission.

Whereas, On or about the 15th day of July, 1936, Mrs. Anna Smith, of Bexar County, Texas, together with her daughter, La Nelle Smith, and

James A. Gallagher, were riding in an automobile owned by said James A. Gallagher, and being driven at the time by her daughter; and

Whereas, Said automobile was proceeding toward San Antonio, on Highway No. 27, approximately fourteen miles East of Fort Stockton, Texas; and

Whereas, Said highway had been under construction and a detour paralleling the highway had been created for the purpose of permitting traffic to pass around said construction, and a detour sign with the highway number thereon had been erected at said point by the State Highway Department. Upon the completion of the main highway at said point the contractor had removed a small bridge on the detour road where the detour road crossed a drainage ditch. Upon the completion of the main highway at said point and the removal of the bridge on the detour road it became the duty of the Highway Department to remove the detour sign which had been erected by the State Highway Department for the purpose of directing traffic off of the main highway onto the detour road, but said State Highway Department and the members thereof negligently failed to remove said detour sign but left said sign standing at the point where the detour road branched off of the main highway. That the parties above named before reaching said point had been advised that the road was under construction and that they would have to take a detour, and when they approached the point where said detour road joins the highway it was night time and dark and the main highway was still partially barricaded and they saw the large detour sign marked with the word 'Detour' and containing a large arrow pointing to the detour road, and directing them to take the detour road; and not knowing that the main highway had been opened they followed the directions of said detour sign and proceeded onto the detour road. After following said road for a short distance they came to the point where the bridge had been removed from over the creek or culvert and not knowing the said bridge had been removed or that there was a creek or culvert at said point, the automobile ran off the end of said road where the bridge had been removed and into the deep opening left by the removal of the bridge. This re-

sulted in a severe crash and as a result thereof Mrs. Anna Smith, La Nelle Smith and James A. Gallagher received very severe personal injuries which have reduced them to the status of an invalid.

While there were some barricades near the entrance to the detour road, the detour road was not barricaded at the point where said automobile left the main highway and entered the detour road. It was by reason of the detour sign erected and maintained by the State Highway Department that the parties in the automobile were caused to leave the main highway and take the detour road. Members of the State Highway Department have admitted in writing that this detour sign was erected by the State Highway Department and was still standing at the time this accident took place. They have also admitted that it was the duty of the State Highway Department to remove this sign when the main highway was opened and the detour road was rendered unsafe for travel by the removal of the bridge. The negligence of the employees of the State Highway Department in failing to remove the detour sign caused the above parties to take the detour road, which resulted in the severe injury to Mrs. Anna Smith, La Nelle Smith and James A. Gallagher; and

Whereas, The said Mrs. Anna Smith, La Nelle Smith and James A. Gallagher have never been compensated for their damages by the State of Texas and desires to bring suit against the State Highway Department of the State of Texas and/or the State of Texas for the purpose of establishing that the injuries to their person and the damages occasioned thereby were the result of the negligence of the State Highway Department of the State of Texas and its agents and the State of Texas, in failing to remove said detour sign, and in partially barricading the main highway and in failing to properly barricade the detour, and for other acts of negligence therein; and to recover their damages against the State Highway Department and the State of Texas; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of Texas, the Senate concurring, That the said Mrs. Anna Smith, La Nelle Smith and James A. Gallagher be, and they are hereby, granted permission to bring suit in any Court in Bexar County, Texas,

having jurisdiction of the amount in controversy, against the State Highway Department of Texas and/or the State of Texas, to determine whether the injuries and damages mentioned herein were due to the negligence of the State Highway Department, and to determine the amount of damages, if any, occasioned to said Mrs. Anna Smith, La Nelle Smith and James A. Gallagher, by reason of their injuries resulting therefrom; and, be it further

Resolved, That service of process may be had upon the State Highway Commission and the Attorney General of the State of Texas, as provided for in civil suits.

The fact that Mrs. Anna Smith, La Nelle Smith and James A. Gallagher have sustained severe injuries and that they are entitled to an opportunity to establish their claim against the State, and that they would otherwise be without redress against the State, creates an emergency and imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring that all bills be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and said Rule is hereby suspended, and this resolution shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The resolution was read second time, and was referred, by the Speaker, to the Committee on State Affairs.

TO PROVIDE THAT THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE HEAR ELECTION CONTEST

Mr. Hankamer offered the following resolution:

Whereas, The House has adopted the minority report of the Committee on Privileges, Suffrages and Elections and thereby assumed jurisdiction of the election contest of E. E. Hunter, Contestant, vs J. K. Russell, Contestee; and

Whereas, It will be necessary that certain procedure be followed in order to give a full and impartial hearing to all parties concerned; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives,

That at the proper time the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of proceeding to investigate the said election contest, it being the intention of the House to conduct a full and fair investigation of the election.

That to serve as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House, the Speaker shall appoint from among the Members of the House, a lawyer of recognized ability who shall pass on the admissibility of the testimony of the witnesses, preside over the deliberations of the Committee of the Whole House and do all matters and things incident thereto.

That the Speaker shall appoint a Board of Managers consisting of three Members who shall act as a steering committee for the Members of the House of Representatives.

That the Speaker shall appoint stenographers to take down the proceedings of the hearings.

That witnesses before the Committee of the Whole House shall be paid the same fees as provided for witnesses summoned in the District Courts of this State.

That the House, sitting as a Committee of the Whole House, shall have the right in accordance with the law to recess and/or adjourn from time to time.

That the Committee of the Whole House shall have the right to invoke the call of the said Committee for the purpose of obtaining a quorum, as well as for a specific time.

That the Committee of the Whole House shall have the right to summons witnesses which shall be sworn by the Speaker, the presiding Member or the Chief Clerk of the House, and to compel the attendance of said witnesses.

That said Committee of the Whole House shall have full authority to issue all necessary processes such as subpoenas and subpoenas duce tecum.

That all processes ordered issued by the Committee of the Whole House shall be signed by either the Speaker or the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House.

That all expenses shall be paid by warrants properly issued by the Chairman of the Contingent Expense Committee to be approved by the Speaker of the House; and, be it further

Resolved, That the rules of evidence and the laws in force respecting the admissibility of evidence, the issuance and service of process in the District Courts of this State shall be observed by the said Committee of the Whole House so far as the same may be applicable; and, be it further

Resolved, That at the conclusion of the testimony in the hearing, the Committee of the Whole House shall recommend to the House of Representatives such action as it may deem necessary and proper in compliance with Article 3065, Title 50, of the Revised Civil Statutes; and, be it further

Resolved, That the contestant, E. E. Hunter, and contestee, J. K. Russell, be permitted to have counsel of their own selection to represent them in the hearing before the Committee of the Whole House; and, be it further

Resolved, That in addition to the powers herein enumerated, the House, sitting as a Committee of the Whole House, shall not only have the power to send for persons, papers and ballot boxes and to compel the giving of testimony but it shall also have the power to punish for contempt to the same extent as in the District Courts of this State; and, be it further

Resolved, That in addition to the powers herein enumerated, the House, sitting as a Committee of the Whole House, shall have all powers that it deems necessary to properly hear and determine said contest.

HANKAMER,
STINSON,
LANKFORD,
FOX.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. McConnell moved that the matter of the contest be re-referred to the Committee on Privileges, Suffrage and Elections.

Mr. McConnell withdrew the above motion.

Mr. Petsch offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend resolution, by striking out the resolving clause and substituting the following:

"The Committee on Privileges, Suffrage and Elections is hereby instructed to hear the Hunter-Russell election contest on the facts and thereafter report to the House the Committee's findings and conclusions."

PETSCH,
ROARK,
McCONNELL.

On motion of Mr. Hankamer, the amendment was tabled.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

PROVIDING FOR CERTAIN ADJOURNMENT PERIOD FOR THE TWO HOUSES

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 30, Providing for certain adjournment period for the two Houses.

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring, That both Houses be granted permission to adjourn from Thursday, February 11, 1937, to Monday, February 15, 1937.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, February 11, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following:

H. B. No. 89, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it unlawful to take or kill wild deer or wild turkey in the Counties of Harrison, Marion, Cass, or Bowie for a period of five (5) years; describing penalty for violation of this Act, and declaring an emergency." (With amendment.)

H. B. No. 88, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a closed season upon certain fish in Harrison and Marion Counties, Texas, and making it unlawful to in anywise take or catch such fish during such closed season, or to have such fish in possession during such closed season; describing such penalty for violation of this Act."

H. B. No. 232, A bill to be entitled "An Act closing the waters of Caranchua Bay in Calhoun and Jackson Counties to certain types of net fishing, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 394, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 2, House Bill No. 327, Chapter 350, General Laws of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Regular Session, as amended by Senate Bill No. 58, Chapter 421, of the First Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 174, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating certain bonds of cities in the State of Texas operating under the General Laws of the State and located in counties having a population of less than 80,000 and more

than 70,000 according to the last preceding United States Census, which bonds have been heretofore voted subsequent to enactment of Chapter 382, Acts of the First Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature of Texas, 1935, and which bonds are payable out of the revenues to be derived from the operation of the city's water works system; authorizing the city to complete its proceedings for the authorization, sale, and delivery of such bonds, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,

Secretary of the Senate.

**BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS
SIGNED BY THE
SPEAKER**

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and their captions had been read severally, the following enrolled bills and resolutions:

S. C. R. No. 23, Relative to investigation of discrimination of prices in uniformed crude oil in Texas.

S. C. R. No. 16, Relative to opposition of the ratification by the U. S. of the Argentine Sanitary Convention.

S. C. R. No. 24, Providing for a Joint Session of House and Senate to hear address by Hon. Charles C. Green.

H. C. R. No. 26, Providing for a Joint Session of the House and Senate to celebrate Texas Independence Day.

H. C. R. No. 28, Granting Judge T. O. Davis permission to be absent from the State.

H. C. R. No. 29, Expressing appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Litcher Stark.

S. C. R. No. 30, Providing for certain adjournment period for the two Houses.

H. B. No. 232, "An Act closing the waters of Caranchua Bay in Calhoun and Jackson Counties to certain types of net fishing except during certain months, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 394, "An Act amending Section 2, House Bill No. 327, Chapter 350, General Laws of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Regular Session, as amended by Senate Bill No. 58, Chapter 421, of the First Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

**HOUSE BILL NO. 9 ON SECOND
READING**

The Speaker laid before the House, as special order at this time, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 9, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 20 of Chapter 76 of the Acts of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Regular Session of 1935, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Keefe submitted the following motion:

I move that further consideration of House Bill No. 9 be postponed until eleven o'clock, Thursday, March fourth, 1937.

Mr. Tennyson raised a point of order, on further consideration of the motion by Mr. Keefe, on the ground that the motion is out of order at this time, as the bill was set as a special order and the vote reconsidered and tabled.

The Speaker overruled the point of order.

Mr. Alexander moved the previous question on the motion by Mr. Keefe, and the main question was ordered.

Question recurring on the motion by Mr. Keefe to postpone further consideration of House Bill No. 9, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—53

Adkins	Lankford
Bell	Leyendecker
Bradbury	Loggins
Cagle	Lucas
Callan	Mann
Cleveland	McDonald
England	Metcalf
Farmer	Morris
Fox	Oliver
Fuchs	Palmer
Hamilton	Powell
Harbin	Prescott
Hardin	Ragsdale
Harper	Reed of Bowie
Herzik	Rhodes
Holland	Ross
Huddleston	Russell
Johnson of Ellis	Rutta
Jones of Falls	Sewell
Jones of Wise	Simpson
Keefe	Skaggs
Kelt	Smith of Hopkins
Kenyon	Smith of Tarrant
Kern	Thornberry
King	Waggoner

Weldon	Worley
Westbrook	
Nays—80	
Alexander	Keith
Alsup	Knetsch
Baker	Langdon
Bates	Leath
Beckworth	Little
Blankenship	London
Boethel	Mauritz
Bond	Mays
Boyer	McConnell
Bradford	McCracken
Bridgers	McKee
Burton	McKinney
Carssow	Moffett
Cathey	Monkhouse
Celaya	Morse
Colquitt	Newton
Davis of Jasper	Nicholson
Davisson	Patterson
of Eastland	of Travis
Dean	Petsch
Deglandon	Pope
Derden	Reader
Dollins	Reed of Dallas
Felty	Riddle
Fielden	Roark
Gibson	Schuenemann
Hankamer	Settle
Hanna	Sharpe
Harris of Archer	Shell
Harris of Dallas	Smith
Harris of Dickens	of Matagorda
Hartzog	Stevenson
Heflin	Stocks
Howard	Talbert
Hull	Tarwater
Hyder	Tennant
Jackson	Tennyson
James	Thornton
Johnson	Vale
of Tarrant	Walker
Jones of Angelina	Winfree
Jones of Atascosa	Wood
Absent	
Amos	Hoskins
Cauthorn	Lanning
Davison of Fisher	Patterson of Mills
Dickison	
Absent—Excused	
Broadfoot	Leonard
Brown	McFarland
Davis of Haskell	Quinn
Graves	Stinson
Harrell	

Mr. Farmer submitted the following motion:

"We move that House Bill No. 9 be laid on the table subject to call."

FARMER,
KEEFE,
JONES of Wise.

The motion was lost.

Mr. Jones of Wise offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 9, by striking out in Section 1, the figures "1941" and substitute in lieu thereof the figures "1939".

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Farmer moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment was adopted, and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

House Bill No. 9 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 9 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Davisson of Eastland moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 9 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—112

Alexander	Fielden
Alsup	Fuchs
Bates	Gibson
Beckworth	Hamilton
Blankenship	Hankamer
Boethel	Hanna
Bond	Harbin
Boyer	Hardin
Bradbury	Harper
Bradford	Harris of Archer
Bridgers	Harris of Dallas
Burton	Harris of Dickens
Cagle	Hartzog
Callan	Heflin
Carssow	Hoskins
Cathey	Howard
Cauthorn	Huddleston
Celaya	Hull
Cleveland	Hyder
Colquitt	Jackson
Davison of Fisher	James
Davisson	Johnson of Ellis
of Eastland	Johnson
Dean	of Tarrant
Deglandon	Jones of Angelina
Derden	Jones of Atascosa
Dickison	Jones of Falls
Dollins	Keith
England	Kern

King	Rhodes
Knetsch	Riddle
Langdon	Roark
Lanning	Ross
Leath	Russell
Leyendecker	Schuenemann
Little	Settle
Loggins	Sewell
London	Sharpe
Mauritz	Shell
Mays	Simpson
McConnell	Skaggs
McCracken	Smith
McDonald	of Matagorda
McKee	Smith of Tarrant
McKinney	Stevenson
Moffett	Stocks
Morris	Talbert
Morse	Tarwater
Newton	Tennant
Nicholson	Tennyson
Oliver	Thornberry
Patterson	Thornton
of Travis	Vale
Petsch	Walker
Pope	Westbrook
Prescott	Winfree
Ragsdale	Wood
Reed of Dallas	Worley

Nays—19

Adkins	Lankford
Amos	Lucas
Bell	Metcalf
Farmer	Palmer
Fox	Powell
Holland	Reed of Bowie
Jones of Wise	Rutta
Keefe	Wagoner
Kelt	Weldon
Kenyon	

Present—Not Voting

Baker

Absent

Davis of Jasper	Monkhouse
Felty	Patterson of Mills
Herzik	Reader
Mann	Smith of Hopkins

Absent—Excused

Broadfoot	Leonard
Brown	McFarland
Davis of Haskell	Quinn
Graves	Stinson
Harrell	

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 9 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—122

Adkins	Keefe
Alexander	Keith
Alsup	Kenyon
Baker	Kern
Bates	King
Beckworth	Knetsch
Blankenship	Langdon
Boethel	Lanning
Bond	Leath
Boyer	Leyendecker
Bradbury	Little
Bradford	Loggins
Bridgers	London
Burton	Lucas
Cagle	Mann
Callan	Mauritz
Carssow	Mays
Cathey	McConnell
Cauthorn	McCracken
Celaya	McDonald
Cleveland	McKee
Colquitt	McKinney
Davison of Fisher	Metcalf
Davisson	Moffett
of Eastland	Monkhouse
Dean	Morris
Deglandon	Morse
Derden	Newton
Dickison	Nicholson
Dollins	Oliver
England	Palmer
Felty	Patterson
Fielden	of Travis
Fuchs	Pope
Gibson	Ragsdale
Hamilton	Reed of Bowie
Hankamer	Reed of Dallas
Hanna	Rhodes
Harbin	Riddle
Hardin	Roark
Harper	Ross
Harris of Archer	Russell
Harris of Dallas	Schuenemann
Harris of Dickens	Settle
Hartzog	Sewell
Heflin	Sharpe
Hoskins	Simpson
Howard	Smith of Hopkins
Huddleston	Smith
Hull	of Matagorda
Hyder	Smith of Tarrant
Jackson	Stevenson
James	Stocks
Johnson of Ellis	Talbert
Johnson	Tarwater
of Tarrant	Tennant
Jones of Angelina	Tennvson
Jones of Atascosa	Thornberry
Jones of Falls	Thornton
Jones of Wise	Vale

Walker	Winfree
Weldon	Wood
Westbrook	Worley

Nays—10

Amos	Petsch
Bell	Powell
Farmer	Rutta
Fox	Skaggs
Lankford	Waggoner

Absent

Davis of Jasper	Patterson of Mills
Herzik	Prescott
Holland	Reader
Kelt	Shell

Absent—Excused

Broadfoot	Leonard
Brown	McFarland
Davis of Haskell	Quinn
Graves	Stinson
Harrell	

Mr. Davisson of Eastland moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 9 was passed, and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, February 11, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has, in compliance with the provisions of H. C. R. No. 26, appointed the following committee:

Senators Moore and Westerfeld.

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,

Secretary of the Senate.

RELATIVE TO EXCUSING EMPLOYEES OF THE HOUSE

Mr. Hardin offered the following resolution:

Whereas, The majority of the Members of the House are planning on making a trip to Lubbock; and

Whereas, Those Members who do not make the trip to Lubbock, are planning on going home; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That all employees of the House be given a holiday Saturday, February 13th, 1937.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Moffett raised a point of order, on further consideration of the resolution, on the ground that the time allotted for the consideration of resolutions has expired, and same is not a privileged resolution.

The Speaker sustained the point of order.

IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE

(Mr. McKinney in the Chair.)

At 12:10 o'clock p. m., Mr. Reed of Dallas moved that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering matters in regard to election contest heretofore filed.

The motion prevailed.

The House, accordingly, at 12:10 o'clock p. m., resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole House.

IN THE HOUSE

(Speaker in the Chair.)

At 12:15 o'clock p. m., Mr. McKinney, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House, reported to the House that the Committee desired to rise and report progress and asked leave of the House to sit again at 7:30 o'clock p. m., next Wednesday, February 17.

The following proceedings were reported by the Committee of the Whole House:

Speaker Calvert appointed Hon. A. T. McKinney as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House.

Mr. McKinney was called to the Chair.

Mr. Reed of Dallas moved that the Committee give Speaker Calvert the authority to sign subpoenas for all witnesses and other necessary documents pertaining to the contest of the election filed by the Honorable E. E. Hunter against the Honorable John K. Russell, and also moved that the Committee set a date for the beginning of the proceedings in regard to the contest.

The motions prevailed.

Mr. Farmer moved that the Committee begin proceedings at 7:30 o'clock p. m., next Wednesday, February 17.

The motion prevailed.

At 12:20 o'clock p. m., Mr. Reed of Dallas moved that the Committee rise, report progress and asked leave of the

House to sit again at 7:30 o'clock p. m., next Wednesday, February 17.

The motion prevailed.

RELATIVE TO FUMIGATING HALL OF THE HOUSE

Mr. Stocks asked unanimous consent of the House, to have read at this time the following resolution:

There was no objection offered, and it was so ordered.

The Speaker then laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

Whereas, The flu epidemic which has been general over the country has invaded Austin and the House of Representatives; and

Whereas, Many of the Members have been and are now sick with colds and influenza, and to the end that this epidemic may be deterred or eliminated; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Sergeant-at-Arms be instructed to have the House Hall and adjacent rooms thoroughly fumigated over the present week-end.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Moffett moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Public Health.

The motion was lost.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

ADDITIONAL SIGNERS OF BILLS

By unanimous consent of the House, the following Members were authorized to sign bills, as co-authors of same, as follows:

Mr. Farmer, House Bill No. 52.

Mr. Tennant, House Bill No. 512.

Mr. Ross and Mr. Westbrook, House Bill No. 363.

Mr. Blankenship, House Bill No. 52.

Mr. Loggins, House Bill No. 508.

SENATE BILL ON FIRST READING

The following Senate bill, received from the Senate today, was laid before the House, read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

Senate Bill No. 174, to the Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

REASON FOR VOTE

I voted "no" on the Jones substitute, page 337, House Journal, for the Farmer resolution No. 82 and

the Bradbury amendment because the Jones substitute was purely a trick move to kill the specific effect of the Farmer resolution. The Jones substitute does not reprimand Orville Carpenter for his statement relative to the disfranchisement of the elder pension recipients of Texas and that was what the Farmer resolution sought to do. The Jones substitute is general and meaningless as applied to the original Farmer resolution. I want to go on record as one who favors the right of the elders to vote beyond any utterance to the contrary—the Jones substitute agrees with my views in the mere interpretation of words but the manner and time of its introduction forced the substitute to acquire a meaning adverse to the ordinary interpretation of the words contained therein and it fell within the category of a political gesture void of sincerity as applied to the Farmer resolution for which it was introduced as a substitute. It was, in my opinion, presented as a means of killing the true effect of the Farmer resolution and as a result I would not subscribe to such tactics and voted "no" on the Jones substitute.

JOHNSON of Ellis.

QUESTIONNAIRE OF MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE

The following questionnaire, as answered by Members of the House of Representatives, is printed in the Journal in accordance with the provisions of a resolution by Mr. Bradbury, adopted by the House of Representatives on January 21, 1937:

QUESTIONNAIRE

Authorized and directed by House Simple Resolution No. 51, adopted by the House January 21, 1937.

(1) Name:
Postoffice:

Representative of District No.

(2) Trade, occupation or profession:

(3) I received a retainer or salary from the following corporations, associations or organizations at the time of taking the oath at the beginning of the Forty-fifth Legislature:

(Signed)

Sworn and subscribed to this the day of, 1937.

(Seal)

Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) W. H. Adkins.
Brady, Texas.
Representative of District No. 93.
(2) Lawyer.
(3) None.
(Signed) W. H. ADKINS.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Bob Alexander.
Childress, Texas.
Representative of District No. 121.
(2) Farmer.
(3) None.
(Signed) BOB ALEXANDER.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Lon E. Alsup.
Carthage, Texas.
Representative of District No. 7.
(2) Music dealer and insurance
salesman.
(3) None.
(Signed) LON E. ALSUP.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) A. E. Amos.
Fort Worth, Texas.
Representative of District No. 101.
(2) Railway clerk.
(3) None.
(Signed) A. E. AMOS.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

HOMER THORNBERRY,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Lindley Beckworth.
Gilmer, Texas.
Representative of District No. 4.
(2) Teacher.
(3) No person or concern.
(Signed) LINDLEY BECKWORTH.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
1st day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) John J. Bell.
Cuero, Texas.
Representative of District No. 68.

(2) Lawyer.
(3) None.
(Signed) JOHN J. BELL.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
1st day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

FRANCES AVERY,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Dallas Blankenship.
Dallas, Texas.
Representative of District No. 50.
(2) Lawyer.
(3) None.
(Signed) DALLAS BLANKENSHIP.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Paul Boethel.
Hallettsville, Texas.
Representative of District No. 23.
(2) Teacher and lawyer.
(3) None whatever.
(Signed) PAUL BOETHEL.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Bowlen Bond.
Fairfield, Texas.
Representative of District No. 57.
(2) Lawyer.
(3) No person, firm, partnership,
copartnership, association or corpora-
tion. None would employ me.
(Signed) BOWLEN BOND.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

A. S. HULL,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) J. Bryan Bradbury.
Abilene, Texas.
Representative of District No. 116.
(2) Lawyer.
(3) None.
(Signed) J. BRYAN BRADBURY.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
1st day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) W. W. Bridgers.
El Paso, Texas.
Representative of District No. 89.

(2) Lawyer.
 (3) None.
 (Signed) W. W. BRIDGERS.
 Sworn and subscribed to this the
 5th day of February, 1937.
 (Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
 Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) A. S. Broadfoot.
 Bonham, Texas.
 Representative of District No. 41.
 (2) Lawyer.
 (3) None.
 (Signed) A. S. BROADFOOT.
 Sworn and subscribed to this the
 5th day of February, 1937.
 (Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
 Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) H. T. Brown.
 Jacksonville, Texas.
 Representative of District No. 31.
 (2) Lawyer.
 (3) None.
 (Signed) H. T. BROWN.
 Sworn and subscribed to this the
 3rd day of February, 1937.
 (Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
 Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Grover Burton.
 McKinney, Texas.
 Representative of District No. 45.
 (2) Lawyer.
 (3) None.
 (Signed) GROVER BURTON.
 Sworn and subscribed to this the
 3rd day of February, 1937.
 (Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
 Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) R. W. Calvert.
 Hillsboro, Texas.
 Representative of District No. 60.
 (2) Attorney-at-law.
 (3) None.
 (Signed) R. W. CALVERT.
 Sworn and subscribed to this the
 8th day of February, 1937.
 (Seal)

HOMER THORNBERRY,
 Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Robert Callan.
 Kaufman, Texas.
 Representative of District No. 52.
 (2) Newspaper.
 (3) None.
 (Signed) ROBERT CALLAN.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
 4th day of February, 1937.
 (Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
 Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Aug. Celaya.
 Brownsville, Texas.
 Representative of District No. 72.
 (2) Real estate, farm.
 (3) None.
 (Signed) AUG. CELAYA.
 Sworn and subscribed to this the
 5th day of February, 1937.
 (Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
 Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) E. J. Cleveland.
 Buda, Texas.
 Representative of District No. 81.
 (2) Cotton buyer, F.O.B. business.
 (3) None whatever.
 (Signed) E. J. CLEVELAND.
 Sworn and subscribed to this the
 2nd day of February, 1937.
 (Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
 Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Rawlins M. Colquitt.
 Dallas, Texas.
 Representative of District No. 51.
 (2) General insurance, associated
 with Andrews, McDowell Co., 414 Re-
 public Bldg, Dallas, Texas.
 (3) None.
 (Signed)

RAWLINS M. COLQUITT.
 Sworn and subscribed to this the
 4th day of February, 1937.
 (Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
 Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Minet M. Davis.
 Kirbyville, Texas.
 Representative of District No. 13.
 (2) Teacher, merchant.
 (3) None, none, none, none.
 (Signed) MINET M. DAVIS.
 Sworn and subscribed to this the
 8th day of February, 1937.
 (Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
 Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) George A. Davisson, Jr.
 Eastland, Texas.
 Representative of District No. 106.
 (2) Lawyer.
 (3) None.
 (Signed)
 GEORGE A. DAVISSON, JR.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Travis B. Dean.
Hamlin, Texas.
Representative of District No. 115.
- (2) State Representative and that's
all!
- (3) State of Texas.
(Signed) TRAVIS B. DEAN.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) A. Deglandon.
McDade, Texas.
Representative of District No. 127.
- (2) Barber.
- (3) None.
(Signed) A. DEGLANDON.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
1st day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) John Dollins.
Waco, Texas.
Representative of District No. 97.
- (2) Farmer.
- (3) None.
(Signed) JOHN DOLLINS.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
1st day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Clarence E. Farmer.
2115 Hemphill St.,
Fort Worth, Texas.
Representative of District No. 101-4.
- (2) Lawyer.
- (3) None.
(Signed) CLARENCE E. FARMER.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
11th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Fred Felty.
San Antonio, Texas.
Representative of District No. 78.
- (2) Lawyer.
- (3) None.
(Signed) FRED FELTY.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
10th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

HOMER THORNBERRY,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Merritt H. Gibson.
Longview, Texas.
Representative of District No. 6.
- (2) Lawyer.
- (3) I was not on a salary or re-
tainer from any corporation, associa-
tion or organization at the time of
taking the oath as a Member of the
Forty-fifth Legislature, nor am I now.
(Signed) MERRITT H. GIBSON.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

JONNIE MAE WATSON,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) E. B. Hamilton.
Hillsboro, Texas.
Representative of District No. 59.
- (2) Salesman.
- (3) None.
(Signed) E. B. HAMILTON.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
day of _____, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Sam C. Hanna.
Dallas, Texas.
Representative of District No. 50-3.
- (2) Salesman.
- (3) None.
(Signed) SAM C. HANNA.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
day of _____, 1937.

Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Ross Hardin.
Prairie Hill, Texas.
Representative of District No. 61.
- (2) Lawyer, farmer.
- (3) None.
(Signed) ROSS HARDIN.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) George H. Harper.
Jefferson, Texas.
Representative of District No. 3.
- (2) Farmer, grocery.
- (3) None.
(Signed) GEORGE H. HARPER.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

A. S. HULL,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) C. L. Harris.
Spur, Texas.
Representative of District No. 118.
- (2) Law student.
- (3) None.

(Signed) C. L. HARRIS.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) D. M. Harris.
Archer City, Texas.
Representative of District No. 110.
- (2) Stock farming.
- (3) I receive no retainer or salary
from any association or organization.

(Signed) D. M. HARRIS.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Fred Harris.
Dallas, Texas.
Representative of District No. 50.
- (2) Attorney.
- (3) None.

(Signed) FRED HARRIS.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Howard G. Hartzog.
Port Lavaca, Texas.
Representative of District No. 69.
- (2) Lawyer.
- (3) None.

(Signed)

HOWARD G. HARTZOG.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

A. S. HULL,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Gus Herzik.
LaGrange, Texas.
Representative of District No. 66.
- (2) Ex-merchant.
- (3) None.

(Signed) GUS HERZIK.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
1st day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Arthur Holland.
Belton, Texas.

Representative of District No. 95.

- (2) Lawyer.
- (3) None.

(Signed) ARTHUR HOLLAND.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
2nd day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Conde R. Hoskins.
Gonzales, Texas.
Representative of District No. 67.
- (2) Insurance and real estate.
- (3) None.

(Signed) CONDE R. HOSKINS.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) George F. Howard.
Houston, Texas.
Representative of District No. 19.
- (2) Lawyer.
- (3) Retained by my wife to be a
noble, clean, intelligent husband.

(Signed) GEORGE F. HOWARD.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
5th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Earl Huddleston.
Oglesby, Texas.
Representative of District No. 94.
- (2) Farmer.
- (3) None.

(Signed) EARL HUDDLESTON.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) H. A. Hull.
Fort Worth, Texas.
Representative of District No. 101.
- (2) Business.
- (3) None, none, none, none.

(Signed) H. A. HULL.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
5th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Tom Bullock Hyder.
Lewisville, Texas.
Representative of District No. 49.
- (2) Business.

- (3) None.
(Signed)

TOM BULLOCK HYDER.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
5th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) H. P. Jackson.
369 First National Bank Bldg.,
El Paso, Texas.
Representative of District No. 89.
(2) Retired merchant.
(3) None.

(Signed) H. P. JACKSON.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
day of _____, 1937.

Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) B. T. Johnson.
4009 Bunting
Fort Worth, Texas.
Representative of District No. 101.
(2) Lawyer.
(3) None.

(Signed) B. T. JOHNSON.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

HOMER THORNBERRY,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Herman Jones.
Decatur, Texas.
Representative of District No. 48.
(2) Lawyer.
(3) None.

(Signed) HERMAN JONES.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Raglin Jones.
Eddy, Texas.
Representative of District No. 96.
(2) Stock farmer.
(3) None.

(Signed) RAGLIN JONES.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) S. A. Jones, Jr.
Lufkin, Texas.
Representative of District No. 12.
(2) Law student.
(3) None.
(Signed) S. A. JONES, JR.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Walter E. Jones.
Jourdanton, Texas.
Representative of District No. 76.
(2) Lawyer.
(3) No fixed retainers.

(Signed) WALTER E. JONES.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Julius J. Kelt.
Chatfield, Texas.
Representative of District No. 58.
(2) Farmer and beekeeper.
(3) None.

(Signed) JULIUS J. KELT.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
1st day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Joe A. Keith.
Sherman, Texas.
Representative of District No. 44-2.
(2) Attorney-at-law.
(3) None.

(Signed) JOE A. KEITH.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Troy E. Kern.
Sulphur Springs, Texas.
Representative of District No. 126.
(2) Teacher.
(3) None.

(Signed) TROY E. KERN.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Fred E. Knetsch.
Seguin, Texas.
Representative of District No. 80.
(2) Lawyer and abstractor.
(3) None.

(Signed) FRED E. KNETSCH.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
5th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) R. C. Lanning.
2905 Rio Grande, Austin,
Texas.
Jacksboro, Texas.
Representative of District No. 109.
(2) Teacher.
(3) None.

(Signed) R. C. LANNING.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
1st day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

FRANCES AVERY,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Homer Leonard.
McAllen, Texas.
Representative of District No. 73.
(2) President of printing and pub-
lishing firm.
(3) None except my own firm—
Monitor Publishing Co., Inc., of which
I am President.

(Signed) HOMER LEONARD.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Edgar Loggins.
Goodrich, Texas.
Representative of District No. 28.
(2) Student and farmer.
(3) None.
(Signed) EDGAR LOGGINS.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
5th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Marvin F. London.
Montague, Texas.
Representative of District No. 47.
(2) Attorney-at-law.
(3) None.
(Signed) MARVIN F. LONDON.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
1st day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Frank E. Mann.
326 Chronicle Bldg.,
Houston, Texas.
Representative of District No. 19,
position No. 3.
(2) Attorney and Representative
by choice of the people.
(3) None—can you give me any
prospects?
(Signed) FRANK E. MANN.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Abe M. Mays.
Atlanta, Texas.
Representative of District No. 2.
(2) Merchant.
(3) None.
(Signed) ABE M. MAYS.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
2nd day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) J. Carroll McConnell.
Palo Pinto, Texas.
Representative of District No. 108.
(2) Lawyer.
(3) None. Nor have received any
since and I have not received any such
retainer or salary during the time I
have served as Representative.

(Signed)

J. CARROLL McCONNELL.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
3rd day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) O. A. McCracken.
San Antonio, Texas.
Representative of District No. 78.
(2) Attorney.
(3) None.
(Signed) O. A. McCRACKEN.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
5th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) W. T. McDonald.
Bryan, Texas.
Representative of District No. 26.
(2) Attorney
(3) None.
(Signed) W. T. McDONALD.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

TOM LEACH,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) C. M. McFarland.
Wichita Falls, Texas.
Representative of District No. 111,
Place 1.
(2) Lawyer.
(3) None.
(Signed) C. M. McFARLAND.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Penrose B. Metcalfe.
San Angelo, Texas.
Representative of District No. 91.
- (2) Ranching and Attorney.
- (3) None whatever.

(Signed)

PENROSE B. METCALFE.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) George Moffett.
Chillicothe, Texas.
Representative of District No. 114.
- (2) Farming.
- (3) I have never received a re-
tainer or salary from any corporation
or association. I have no relative on
the State payroll.

(Signed) GEORGE MOFFETT.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Joe Monkhouse.
Uvalde, Texas.
Representative of District No. 77.
- (2) Real estate.
- (3) None.

(Signed) JOE MONKHOUSE.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) G. C. Morris.
Greenville, Texas.
Representative of District No. 40.
- (2) Law student.
- (3) None.

(Signed) G. C. MORRIS.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) R. Emmett Morse.
Houston, Texas.
Representative of District No. 19,
Place No. 4.
- (2) Real estate.
- (3) None.

(Signed) R. EMMETT MORSE.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
1st day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) C. E. Nicholson.
Port Neches, Texas:
Representative of District No. 16,
Place No. 2.
- (2) Oil refining.
- (3) The Texas Company.

(Signed) C. E. NICHOLSON.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
8th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Gaston Palmer.
Normangee, Texas.
Representative of District No. 56.
- (2) Merchant and farmer.
- (3) None.

(Signed) GASTON PALMER.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
9th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) John B. Patterson.
Austin, Texas.
Representative of District No. 82.
- (2) Chemist.
- (3) None.

(Signed) JOHN B. PATTERSON.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
3rd day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Tolbert Patterson.
Mullin, Texas.
Representative of District No. 104.
- (2) Teaching.
- (3) None.

(Signed) TOLBERT PATTERSON.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Alfred Petsch.
Fredericksburg, Texas.
Representative of District No. 85.
- (2) Lawyer.
- (3) And for more than ten years
prior. Central Power & Light Co.,
United Telephone Co., F. & Northern

Ry. Co., Fredericksburg National Bank, Fredericksburg Publishing Co.

(Signed) ALFRED PETSCH.

Sworn and subscribed to this the 1st day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

FRANCES AVERY,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Ross K. Prescott.
Santa Anna, Texas.

Representative of District No. 125.

(2) Teacher.

(3) None.

(Signed) ROSS K. PRESCOTT.

Sworn and subscribed to this the 4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) B. E. Quinn.
Beaumont, Texas.

Representative of District No. 15.

(2) Real estate and farming.

(3) None. or since the beginning.

(Signed) B. E. QUINN.

Sworn and subscribed to this the 4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) R. L. Reader.
San Antonio, Texas.

Representative of District No. 78-3.

(2) Pharmacist.

(3) None (retired).

(Signed) R. L. READER.

Sworn and subscribed to this the 4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) W. O. Reed.
1907 Santa Fe Bldg.
Dallas, Texas.

Representative of District No. 50, Place 2.

(2) Lawyer.

(3) I have been employed by the Texas and Pacific Railway Company for 17 years—since 1920. I do not represent any other corporations, associations or organizations on a retainer or salary.

(Signed) W. O. REED.

Sworn and subscribed to this the 4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Arthur C. Riddle.

Lockhart, Texas.

Representative of District No. 81.

(2) Lawyer.

(3) None.

(Signed) ARTHUR C. RIDDLE.

Sworn and subscribed to this the 4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) John K. Russell.
Cleburne, Texas.

Representative of District No. 99.

(2) Lawyer.

(3) None.

(Signed) JOHN K. RUSSELL.

Sworn and subscribed to this the 1st day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Chas. D. Rutta.
Columbus, Texas.

Representative of District No. 25.

(2) Lawyer.

(3) None.

(Signed) CHAS. D. RUTTA.

Sworn and subscribed to this the 4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) J. Doyle Settle.
Abernathy, Texas.

Representative of District No. 119.

(2) Farmer.

(3) None.

(Signed) J. DOYLE SETTLE.

Sworn and subscribed to this the 4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Ben H. Sharpe.
Paris, Texas.

Representative of District No. 37.

(2) Printer.

(3) None.

(Signed) BEN H. SHARPE.

Sworn and subscribed to this the 5th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) A. G. Skaggs.
Deport, Texas.

Representative of District No. 36.

(2) Farmer (law).

(3) None.

(Signed) A. G. SKAGGS.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
5th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Howard S. Smith.
Sulphur Springs, Texas.
Representative of District No. 39.
- (2) Business.
- (3) None

(Signed) HOWARD S. SMITH.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) C. L. Stocks.
Gainesville, Texas.
Representative of District No. 46.
- (2) Dentist.
- (3) None.

(Signed) C. L. STOCKS.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Eugene Talbert.
Tyler, Texas.
Representative of District No. 32.
- (2) Law.
- (3) None.

(Signed) EUGENE TALBERT.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
5th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Arthur B. Tarwater.
Plainview, Texas.
Representative of District No. 120.
- (2) Farmer.
- (3) None.

(Signed) ARTHUR B. TARWATER.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
9th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Charles H. Tennyson.
Wichita Falls, Texas.
Representative of District No. 111-2.
- (2) Teacher.
- (3) None.

(Signed) CHARLES H. TENNYSON.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
8th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Roy I. Tennant, Jr.
P. O. Box 524,
Longview, Texas.
Representative of District No. 33.
- (2) Attorney-at-law.
- (3) None.

(Signed) ROY I. TENNANT, JR.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
2nd day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) Homer Thornberry.
Austin, Texas.
Representative of District No. 82.
- (2) Attorney.
- (3) None.

(Signed) HOMER THORNBERRY.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
3rd day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) E. H. Thornton, Jr.
Anico Bldg.,
Galveston, Texas.
Representative of District No. 18.
- (2) Attorney.
- (3) None.

(Signed) E. H. THORNTON, JR.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of January, 1937.
(Seal)

A. S. HULL,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) A. J. Vale.
Rio Grande City, Texas.
Representative of District No. 74.
- (2) Lawyer.
- (3) None.

(Signed) A. J. VALE.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

- (1) J. H. Waggoner.
Whitewright, Texas.
Representative of District No. 44.
- (2) Publisher of the Whitewright
Sun.
- (3) None.

(Signed) J. H. WAGGONER.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.
(Seal)

ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Albert G. Walker.
Vernon, Texas.
Representative of District No. 112.

(2) Lawyer.
(3) None.

(Signed) ALBERT G. WALKER.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
9th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)
ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Odis A. Weldon.
Canton, Texas.
Representative of District No. 53.

(2) Farming.
(3) No.

(Signed) ODIS A. WELDON.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
2nd day of February, 1937.

(Seal)
ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Mainor N. Westbrook.
Geneva, Texas.
Representative of District No. 11.

(2) Teacher.
(3) None.

(Signed)
MAINOR N. WESTBROOK.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
8th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)
ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) J. E. Winfree, Sr.
Houston, Texas.
Representative of District No. 19.
(2) Lawyer and stockman, man
about town.
(3) Southern Pacific Railroad
Company, Texas Avenue Realty Com-
pany. So what?

(Signed) J. E. WINFREE, SR.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)
ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Robert H. Wood.
Marshall, Texas.
Representative of District No. 5.
(2) Railway clerk, farmer and law
student.
(3) None.

(Signed) ROBT. H. WOOD.

Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)
ADELE JACOBS,
Notary Public, Travis County.

(1) Eugene Worley.
Shamrock, Texas.
Representative of District No. 122.

(2) Attorney.
(3) I have recently become asso-
ciated with a firm but—unfortunately
—have not shared in any of the profits,
if any, of such firm—I'm sorry to say.

(Signed) EUGENE WORLEY.
Sworn and subscribed to this the
4th day of February, 1937.

(Seal)
A. S. HULL,
Notary Public, Travis County.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Morris moved that the House
adjourn until 10:00 o'clock a. m., next
Monday.

Mr. Thornton moved that the House
recess to 2:00 o'clock p. m., today.

Question first recurring on the mo-
tion by Mr. Morris, it was lost.

Mr. England moved that the House
adjourn until 9:00 o'clock a. m., next
Monday.

Mr. Patterson of Travis raised a
point of order, on further consideration
of the motion, on the ground that the
House has not transacted any business
since a motion to adjourn was lost.

The Speaker sustained the point of
order.

Question recurring on the motion by
Mr. Thornton to recess to 2:00 o'clock
p. m., today, it was lost.

Mr. Morris moved that the House
adjourn until 9:45 o'clock a. m., next
Monday.

Mr. Wood raised a point of order,
on further consideration of the motion,
on the ground that the House has not
transacted any business since a motion
to adjourn was lost.

The Speaker sustained the point of
order.

Mr. England, having been recognized
by the Chair, addressed the House on
personal privilege.

On motion of Mr. England, the
House, at 12:40 o'clock p. m., adjourned
until 10:00 o'clock a. m., next Monday.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills and resolution, as follows:

Appropriations: House Bills Nos. 288 and 454.

Banks and Banking: House Bill No. 216.

Education: House Bills Nos. 487, 507 and 512.

Game and Fisheries: House Bills Nos. 2, 230, 298, 324, 477 and 506.

Highways and Motor Traffic: House Bill No. 16; Senate Bill No. 188.

Judiciary: House Bills Nos. 97, 126, 127 and 176.

Rules: House Simple Resolution No. 92.

State Affairs: House Bill No. 258.

The Committee on Public Health filed an adverse report on House Bill No. 368.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Austin, Texas, February 10, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 10, A bill to be entitled "An Act to fix the salaries of the judges of the various District Courts and of the Criminal District Courts of this State; repealing that portion of Section 1 of House Bill No. 417, Chapter 355, of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature which fixes the salaries of said judges, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, February 10, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 232, A bill to be entitled "An Act closing the waters of Caranchua Bay in Calhoun and Jackson

Counties to certain types of net fishing, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, February 10, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 358, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that it shall be unlawful to take any fish for sale from the waters of Lake Corpus Christi or from the waters of the Nueces River between La Fruta dam on the Nueces River and the highway bridge over the Nueces River near George West; providing a closed season for fishing in said waters; prohibiting the use of certain devices for taking fish in said waters; providing a suitable penalty for any violation of this Act; repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, February 11, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 31, Endorsing the plan of using cotton mats to help build roads.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Austin, Texas, February 11, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 232, "An Act closing the waters of Caranchua Bay in Calhoun and Jackson Counties to certain types of net fishing except during certain months in Calhoun County; prohibiting the use of an oyster dredge in Caranchua Bay or Caranchua Pass, or within three hundred (300) yards from the mouth of said Pass in Matagorda Bay; providing a penalty; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict

herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HERZIK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, February 11, 1937

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 394, "An Act amending Section 2, House Bill 327, Chapter 350, General Laws of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Regular Session, as amended by Senate Bill No. 58, Chapter 421, of the First Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HERZIK, Chairman.

In Memory of
Hon. Joseph A. Bobbitt

Mr. Carssow offered the following resolution:

Whereas, On Tuesday, February 9, 1937, Honorable Joseph A. Bobbitt, of Hill County, Texas, was called to his reward at his home in Hillsboro, Texas; and

Whereas, Throughout his life he faithfully performed his duties as a private citizen and rendered outstanding service to his community and State; and

Whereas, He is the father of Honorable Robert Lee Bobbitt, present Chairman of the Texas Highway Commission, and former Speaker of the House of Representatives, and former Attorney General of this State; and

Whereas, The Members of this body are deeply grieved over the death of this public-spirited citizen; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Forty-fifth Legislature, That we extend our most sincere sympathy to the family of the said Joseph A. Bobbitt; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the House; and, be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be furnished the family of the deceased, and that when the House adjourns today it be in his memory.

CARSSOW,
McCRACKEN,
DICKISON,
FELTY,
READER,
MORSE,
CALVERT,
HAMILTON.

The resolution was read second time.

Signed—Adkins, Alexander, Alsup, Amos, Baker, Bates, Beckworth, Bell, Blankenship, Boethel, Bond, Boyer, Bradbury, Bradford, Bridgers, Broadfoot, Brown, Burton, Cagle, Callan, Cathey, Cauthorn, Celaya, Cleveland, Colquitt, Davis of Haskell, Davis of Jasper, Davison of Fisher, Davison of Eastland, Dean, Deglandon, Derden, Dollins, England, Farmer, Fielden, Fox, Fuchs, Gibson, Graves, Hankamer, Hanna, Harbin, Hardin, Harper, Harrell, Harris of Archer, Harris of Dallas, Harris of Dickens, Hartzog, Heflin, Herzik, Holland, Hoskins, Howard, Huddleston, Hull, Hyder, Jackson, James, Johnson of Ellis, Johnson of Tarrant, Jones of Angelina, Jones of Atascosa, Jones of Falls, Jones of Wise, Keefe, Keith, Kelt, Kenyon, Kern, King, Knetsch, Langdon, Lankford, Lanning, Leath, Leonard, Leyendecker, Little, Loggins, London, Lucas, Mann, Mauritz, Mays, McConnell, McDonald, McFarland, McKee, McKinney, Metcalfe, Moffett, Monkhouse, Morris, Newton, Nicholson, Oliver, Palmer, Patterson of Mills, Patterson of Travis, Petsch, Pope, Powell, Prescott, Quinn, Ragsdale, Reed of Bowie, Reed of Dallas, Rhodes, Riddle, Roark, Ross, Russell, Rutta, Schuenemann, Settle, Sewell, Sharpe, Shell, Simpson, Skaggs, Smith of Hopkins, Smith of Matagorda, Smith of Tarrant, Stevenson, Stinson, Stocks, Talbert, Tarwater, Tennant, Tennyson, Thornberry, Thornton, Vale, Waggoner, Walker, Weldon, Westbrook, Winfree, Wood and Worley.

On motion of Mr. Petsch, the names of all the Members of the House were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.